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June 19, 2017

**Via Hand Delivery**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: WC Docket No. 14-58  
2017 ETC Annual Report of Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc.  
Study Area Code 341088**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("Company"), JSI files the attached confidential version of the FCC Form 481 ETC annual reporting information pursuant to sections 54.313 and 54.422 of the Commission's rules.<sup>1</sup> Company seeks confidential treatment under Protective Order for section 54.313(f)(2) financial information.<sup>2</sup> The redacted version is being filed this date via the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System.

Please direct any questions regarding the filing to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

John Kuykendall  
JSI Vice President  
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[jkuykendall@jsitel.com](mailto:jkuykendall@jsitel.com)

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313, 54.422.

<sup>2</sup> *Connect America Fund et al.*, WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 14-58, Protective Order, DA 16-296 rel. March 22, 2016 (Protective Order). 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(f)(2).

**FCC Form 481 - Carrier Annual Reporting  
Data Collection Form**FCC Form 481  
OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819  
July 2013

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	Form Type	54.313 and 54.422

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**(300) Unfulfilled Service Request  
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&lt;300&gt; Unfulfilled service request (voice)

0

&lt;310&gt; Detail on attempts (voice)

Name of Attached Document

&lt;320&gt; Unfulfilled service request (broadband)

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&lt;330&gt; Detail on attempts (broadband)

Name of Attached Document

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<400>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report voice complaints (zero or greater) for voice telephony service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize. Offered only fixed voice	
<410>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice	0 . 0
<420>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice	
<430>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report end-user customer complaints (zero or greater) for broadband service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize. Offered only fixed broadband	
<440>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed broadband	0 . 0
<450>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile broadband	

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<500>	Certify compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules	Yes
341088IL510.pdf		
<510>	Descriptive document for Service Quality Standards & Consumer Protection Rules Compliance	
<515>	Certify compliance with applicable minimum service standards	

<b>(600) Functionality in Emergency Situations</b> <b>Data Collection Form</b>		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<600>	Certify compliance regarding ability to function in emergency situations	Yes
<610>	Descriptive document for Functionality in Emergency Situations	341088IL610.pdf

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<701>	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date	1/1/2017
<702>	Single State-wide Residential Local Service Charge	

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-- See attached worksheet --

**(800) Operating Companies  
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<810>	Reporting Carrier	Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc
<811>	Holding Company	Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
<812>	Operating Company	Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc

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**(900) Tribal Lands Reporting  
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&lt;900&gt; Does the filing entity offer tribal land services? (Y/N) No

&lt;910&gt; Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

&lt;920&gt; Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached PDF, on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select Yes or No or Not Applicable

**(1000) Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability  
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<1000> Voice services rate comparability certification Yes

<1010> Attach detailed description for voice services rate comparability compliance

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Name of Attached Document

<1020> Broadband comparability certification

Yes - Pricing is no more than the non-promotional price charged for a comparable fixed wireline service in urban areas in the states or U.S. Territories where the eligible telecommunications carrier receives support

<1030> Attach detailed description for broadband comparability compliance

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Name of Attached Document

**(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting  
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&lt;1100&gt; Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Y/N)

Yes

&lt;1130&gt; Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).

**(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers**  
**Lifeline**  
**Data Collection Form**

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341088IL1210.pdf

<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans

Name of Attached Document

<1220> Link to Public Website

HTTP

"Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- |        |                                                                                                                       |                                     |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <1221> | Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers, | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| <1222> | Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan,                                                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| <1223> | Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.                                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

**(2005) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation**

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Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

**Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting**

<p>&lt;2011&gt; 3rd Year Certification 47 CFR §54.313(b)(1)(ii) - Note that for the July 2017 certification, this applies to Round 2 recipients of Incremental Support.</p> <p>&lt;2022&gt; Recipient certifies, representing year three after filing a notice of acceptance of funding pursuant to 54.312(c), that the locations in question are not receiving support under the Broadband Initiatives Program or the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program for projects that will provide broadband with speeds of at least 4 Mbps/1Mbps - 54.313(b)(2)(i). Round 2 recipients only.</p> <p>&lt;2023&gt; The attachment on line 2024 includes a statement of the total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations, accompanied by a list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent. This covers year three - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.</p> <p>&lt;2024A&gt; Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?</p> <p>&lt;2024B&gt; Attach list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent in year three - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.</p> <p>&lt;2025A&gt; Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?</p> <p>&lt;2025B&gt; Attach geocoded Information for Phase I milestone reports (Round 2 for year three) - Connect America Fund , WC Docket 10-90, Report and Order, FCC 13-73, paragraph 35 (May 22, 2013).</p> <p>&lt;2015&gt; 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4)</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div>	<p>Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 100%; margin-top: 10px;"></div> <p>Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 100%; margin-top: 10px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100px; margin-top: 10px;"></div>
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**(2005) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation**

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**Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}**

&lt;2016&gt; Certification support used to build broadband

**Connect America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}**

&lt;2017A&gt; Connect America Fund Phase II recipient?

&lt;2017C&gt; Total amount of Phase II support, if any, the price cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2016.

&lt;2018&gt; Attach the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(A)

Name of Attached Document Listing  
Required Information

&lt;2019&gt; Recipient certifies that it bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Phase II model-based support, and that such bids were at rates reasonably comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for comparable offerings - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(C)



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Select from the drop down menu or check the boxes below to note compliance with 54.313(f)(1). Privately held carriers must ensure compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3009)	Progress Report on 5 Year Plan Carrier certifies to 54.313(f)(1)(iii)		
		Yes - Attach Certification	
(3010A)	Certification of Public Interest Obligations {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)}	341088IL3010.pdf	
(3010B)	Please Provide Attachment	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
(3012A)	Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)}	No - No New Community Anchors	
(3012B)	Please Provide Attachment	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	
(3013)	Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)}	(Yes/No)	<input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
(3014)	If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report	(Yes/No)	<input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:			
(3015)	Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
(3016)	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
(3017)	If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	341088IL3017.pdf
(3018)	If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited?	(Yes/No)	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:			
(3019)	Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3020)	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3021)	Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit.	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:			
(3022)	Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3023)	Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3024)	Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3025)	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input type="checkbox"/>	
(3026)	Attach the worksheet listing required information	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	

**(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)**

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**Financial Data Summary**

(3027) Revenue

(3028) Operating Expenses

(3029) Net Income

(3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)

(3031) Total Assets

(3032) Total Debt

(3033) Total Equity

(3034) Dividends

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4005 Rural Broadband Experiment

Authorized Rural Broadband Experiment (RBE) recipients must address the certification for public interest obligations, provide a list of newly served community anchor institutions, and provide a list of locations where broadband has been deployed.

Public Interest Obligations – FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29, 78)

Please address Line 4001 regarding compliance with the Commission’s public interest obligations. All RBE participants must provide a response to Line 4001.

**4001.** Recipient certifies that it is offering broadband to the identified locations meeting the requisite public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed, latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban areas?

Community Anchor Institutions – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79)

**4003a.** RBE participants must provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which they newly deployed broadband service in the preceding calendar year. On this line, please respond (yes – attach new community anchors, no – no new anchors) to indicate whether this list will be provided.

If yes to 4003A, please provide a response for 4003B.

<b>4003b.</b> Provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	_____
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Broadband Deployment Locations – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 80)

<b>4004a.</b> Attach a list of geocoded locations to which broadband has been deployed as of the June 1st immediately preceding the July 1st filing deadline for the FCC Form 481.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	_____
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<b>4004b.</b> Attach evidence demonstrating that the recipient is meeting the relevant public service obligations for the identified locations. Materials must at least detail the pricing, offered broadband speed and data usage allowances available in the relevant geographic area.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	_____
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**Certification - Reporting Carrier  
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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:**

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier: WABASH TEL COOP, INC	
Signature of Authorized Officer: CERTIFIED ONLINE	Date 06/16/2017
Printed name of Authorized Officer: Barry Adair	
Title or position of Authorized Officer: EVP/GM	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer: 6186659924 ext.	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier: 341088	Filing Due Date for this form: 07/03/2017
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

**Certification - Agent / Carrier  
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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:**

Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I certify that (Name of Agent) _____ is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.	
Name of Authorized Agent:	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Signature of Authorized Officer:	Date:
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	Filing Due Date for this form:
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:**

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Name of Authorized Agent Firm:	
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Date:
Name of Authorized Agent Employee:	
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	Filing Due Date for this form:
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

## Attachments

<b>(700) Price Offerings including Voice Rate Data</b> <b>Data Collection Form</b>	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<701>	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date	1/1/2017
<702>	Single State-wide Residential Local Service Charge	

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**(710) Broadband Price Offerings**  
**Data Collection Form**

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	State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service - Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select}
	IL	446 Browns	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	665 Louisville	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	673 Cisne	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	678 Xenia	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	686 Bible Grove	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	835 Orchardville	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	854 Mt Erie	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	897 Geff	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	898 Crisp	35.0	0.0	35.0	100.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	678 Xenia	35.0	0.0	35.0	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	835 Orchardville	35.0	0.0	35.0	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	446 Browns	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	665 Louisville	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	673 Cisne	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	678 Xenia	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	686 Bible Grove	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	835 Orchardville	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	854 Mt Erie	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	897 Geff	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	898 Crisp	55.0	0.0	55.0	250.0	10.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	678 Xenia	55.0	0.0	55.0	12.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use



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	IL	835 Orchardville	55.0	0.0	55.0	12.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	446 Browns	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	665 Louisville	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	673 Cisne	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	678 Xenia	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	686 Bible Grove	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	835 Orchardville	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
	IL	854 Mt Erie	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use
IL	897 Geff	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	898 Crisp	75.0	0.0	75.0	500.0	50.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	446 Browns	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	665 Louisville	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	673 Cisne	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	678 Xenia	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	686 Bible Grove	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	835 Orchardville	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	854 Mt Erie	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	897 Geff	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	
IL	898 Crisp	95.0	0.0	95.0	1000.0	100.0	999999.0	Other, no limits on use	

<b>(800) Operating Companies</b>	FCC Form 481
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<811>	Holding Company	Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
<812>	Operating Company	Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc

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## **Certification of Compliance with Applicable Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules**

Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc complies with the service quality standards pursuant to Subpart A, Section 730.100 of Title 83, Chapter 1, Subchapter f of the Illinois Administrative Code. Subpart E of this section addresses "Standards of Quality of Service". Subpart A, Section 730.115 requires the quarterly reporting of various installation, repair and answer time data for Illinois Commerce Commission and public review.

Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc complies with the requirements of 47 CFR Part 64 Subpart U, Customer Proprietary Network Information and Subpart Y, Truth in Billing Requirements for Common Carrier, and Federal Trade Commission Red Flag rules to prevent identity theft. A manual for CPNI and Red Flags is in place and employee training is conducted annually. New hires are instructed on the programs as required by their job functions.

## **Certification of Ability to Function in Emergency Situations**

Title 83 Illinois Administrative Code Section 730.325 requires an ETC to complying with provisions to meet emergencies including but not limited to the provision of emergency power. Each existing central office will contain a reserve battery supply of 5 hours where emergency power generators are not installed and 3 hours where they are in place.

Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc certifies that it has complied with these requirements and will continue to comply with these requirements.

Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc as well has implemented a redundant fiber optic ring allowing Wabash the ability to reroute traffic around damaged facilities from each of its exchanges.



Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc d/b/a Wabash Communications CO-OP

#### Lifeline Terms and Conditions

1. Lifeline Service includes the services and functionalities enumerated by the F.C.C. as follows: voice grade access to the public switched network; local usage; dual tone multi-frequency signaling or its functional equivalent; single-party service or its functional equivalent; access to operator services; access to interexchange service; access to directory assistance; and toll blocking for qualifying customers who request toll blocking. Lifeline Service can also include broadband services .
2. The Company's voice lifeline plan includes unlimited local minutes of use within the same exchange and some neighboring Wabash Telephone Cooperative , Inc (WTCL) owned exchanges. The Company's voice lifeline plan does not include any free toll in its local calling plans.
3. The Company's broadband Lifeline plan includes the any package that has a speed of 10/1 or greater.
4. Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc supports and follows the guidelines set forth by the FCC and the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC). Individuals are eligible if they participate in one of the following programs:
  - a. Medicaid Program
  - b. Veterans Pension or Survivors Pension
  - c. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program ( Formerly Food Stamps)
  - d. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Program
  - e. Federal Public Housing Assistance Program
  - f. Household Income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty guidelines
5. WTCL will require a deposit from all customers with a proven history of late payments and all customers who are unable to establish credit.
6. WTCL offers the same local service and broadband options for all residential customers it serves. Those customers qualifying for the Lifeline program are not charged a Federal Universal Service Charge (FUSC), or Access Recovery Charge (ARC) due to qualifying for the Lifeline program. The Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") mandated federal credits of \$9.25 be applied towards qualified subscribers local telephone or broadband service . The monthly charge for Lifeline phone service is \$18.18 plus the applicable county 911 charge. Prices vary depending on speed selected for broadband services.
7. Other services can be provided with the Lifeline Service at applicable rates and charges.

#### To get more information:

Call Wabash Telephone Cooperative's Business Office at 1-800-228-9824

Visit WTCL's Website at [www.wabashtelephone.coop](http://www.wabashtelephone.coop)

**Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc (SAC 341088)**

**Response to Line 3010 – Milestone Certification (47 CFR §54.313(f)(1)(i))**

Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc hereby certifies that throughout 2016, it took reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of at least 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream, with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol, and usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas and that requests for such service are met within a reasonable amount of time. If a request for broadband service at actual speeds of at least 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream is unreasonable, the Company offers broadband service at the highest available speed.

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**ATTACHMENT - LINE 3017**

**ATTACHMENT REDACTED IN ENTIRETY**